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advertise, by outcry or by the ringing of any bell or the blowing of any horn or the beating of any drum, his, her or their business, or any sale or sales at auction or otherwise. Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be fined not less than ten dollars nor more than one hundred dollars for each offense.

SEC. 20. *Sales on streets prohibited.* No person shall be allowed to sell at auction or public outcry, nor to erect or occupy a stand of any kind for the purpose of making sales, upon any of the streets, alleys, avenues, sidewalks, crossings or other public places in said city, nor shall any person be permitted to sell from any carriage, buggy or other vehicle, upon any of the streets, alleys, avenues, sidewalks, crossing, or other public place in said city, except as hereinafter provided, under a penalty of ten dollars for each offense.

SEC. 21. *Construction of foregoing section.* The foregoing section shall not be so construed as to apply to any person or persons coming into the city from the country with teams or otherwise with any produce for market raised by themselves, or to any person selling vegetables, berries, fruit, milk or other farm produce of their own production ; nor shall the same be so construed as to make it a penal offense to peddle newspapers, nor to apply to judicial sales ; Provided, that farmers or others selling under the provisions of this section shall not occupy a stand upon any sidewalk, alley or crossing, nor within a space of ten feet of any such sidewalk or crossing upon any street or public square, nor shall they allow their stand, wagon or other vehicle from which they may be selling to remain in front of any person's place of business without the consent of the occupant of such place of business, nor so as to obstruct the convenient travel of the street.

SEC. 22. *Telephone and telegraph poles.* No person or corporation shall set or cause to be set any telegraph, telephone or other poles upon any street or alley within the City of Canton, or string or hang any wire along or across any street or alley, unless authorized so to do by the City Council, under a penalty of ten dollars for each offense.

SEC. 23. *Public Parks shall be known by their respective names.* The several Public Parks, Squares and grounds in the City of Canton shall be known and designated by the names applied thereto respectively on the map of the City of Canton, that may be designated by ordinance.

SEC. 24. *Care of parks.* It shall be the duty of the Committee on Parks and Public Buildings of the City Council to superintend all public grounds and keep the fences thereof in repair, the walks in order, and the trees properly trimmed, and improve the same according to plans approved by the City Council. The said committee shall likewise cause printed or written copies of prohibitions of this article to be posted in the said Parks or Grounds.

SEC. 25. *Regulations of Parks.* No person shall enter or leave any of Public Parks of the City of Canton except by their gateways; no person shall climb or walk, sit or stand upon the walls or fences thereof.

SEC. 26. *Depredations not to be committed in Parks.* Neither cattle, horses, goats, swine or animals, except as herein specified shall be turned into any one of the said Parks by any person. All persons are forbidden to carry firearms or to throw stones or other missiles within any one of these Public Parks. All persons are forbidden to cut, break or in any way injure or deface the trees, shrubs, plants, turf or any of the buildings, fences or other structure, or property within or upon any of the said Parks.

SEC. 27. *Bills are not to be posted in Parks.* No person shall post or otherwise use or affix any bills, notice or other paper upon any structure or thing within either of said Parks nor upon any of the gates nor enclosures thereof.

SEC. 28. *Persons in Parks must keep off the grass.* No person shall go upon the grass, lawn or turf of the Parks except when and where the word "common" is posted, indicating that persons are at liberty at that time and place to go on the grass. Any member of the city police shall have the power to arrest any person who shall not desist from any vio-

lation hereof when directed, and cause him to be committed for examination or be taken before the proper officer for trial.

SEC. 29. *Penalty.* Any person who shall violate any or either of Sections 25, 26, 27 or 28, of this Chapter, or whoever shall neglect or fail or refuse to comply with any or either of the requirements thereof, shall upon conviction pay a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than two hundred dollars.

SEC. 30. *Sidewalks shall be constructed by special taxation.* All new sidewalks and condemned sidewalks shall be constructed by special taxation, levied upon abutting land owners, and it shall be the duty of said land owners, whenever the same becomes defective or needs repairs, to repair the same without notice and keep the same in repair, using the same kind of material of which the walk is constructed.

SEC. 31. *Abutting property owners shall repair sidewalks.* Whenever any sidewalk in said City shall need repairs, the abutting land owner shall make the needed repairs; and if any owner shall fail to repair the same, the Street Superintendent shall give such owner three days notice to repair, and shall file a copy of the said notice with the City Clerk; and upon such owner failing or refusing to repair the same, an ordinance shall be passed to repair, renew or condemn the same and shall require the same to be constructed by special taxation; which ordinance shall be passed according to law, for such purpose.

SEC. 32. *Defective sidewalks.* Whenever any sidewalk shall not be repairable, an ordinance shall be passed condemning such defective sidewalk and requiring the same to be rebuilt by special taxation; and new sidewalks shall be built by like taxation.

SEC. 33. *What ordinances shall specify.* All ordinances shall provide and specify the material which shall be used in such construction or repair, and the width and location of the same, and that the owners of abutting lands shall have the time allowed by law to build and construct the same, and in all other respects said ordinance shall conform to law.